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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/519,465
Entitled: MKK7 ACTIVATION INHIBITOR
Our Ref.: 3190-069

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LETTER TO THE EXAMINER

Commissioner for Patents
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December 14, 2006

Sir:

With respect to the above-identified U.S. patent application, the applicants have received a Notice of Allowance and Notice of Allowability, both dated December 4, 2006. In the Notice of Allowability, the Examiner indicated that while acknowledgement is made of the claim for foreign priority, the Examiner indicated that none of the certified copies of the priority documents had been received. However, the applicants wish to correct the record. Certified copies of the priority documents should have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau since this application was a National Stage application of PCT/JP03/008179. Accordingly, correction of the record is respectfully requested.


Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this matter, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned by telephone.

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Furthermore, to correct the record, the Examiner indicated at page 2 of the Notice of Allowability that the applicant's election was made without traverse; however, in the response filed October 17, 2006, the applicants did make the election with traverse.

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Respectfully submitted,


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